

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please revise paragraph [0040] of the specification as follows:

[0040] ~~Freeze~~ The freeze system 30 itself consists of two substantially horizontal freeze tunnels associated each with a pre-freeze tunnel system 31 and 31a and a main freeze tunnel system 32 and 32a. ~~Provided between~~ Following these two systems are equalizing systems 33 and 33a for temperature equalization.